

Slat's Diary

By ROSE FARQUHAR.

Friday—All of my family and also myself was invited to a party which was given by a friend of a sister of my mother's. The party was held at the home of a friend of a sister of my mother's. The party was held at the home of a friend of a sister of my mother's.

Saturday—Ant Emmy says it is wicked to take chances. Any 1 which takes a chance is gambling. She says, "Pa sed he was a natcher born gambler if that is a case and all what he had of his married life was to be a chance on 1 of his wifes. I guess he wood of tuk a greater chance if he wood of refuse to partook of same."

Sunday—The preacher ast his audience last Sunday to send in ideas as to which was the most interesting and best feature of the Sunday morning service. Sum fokes sed the quire singing, and I trust sed the sermon and one wit person rote and sed the most interesting feature was the benediction.

Monday—Ant Emmy sed the never new monkeys and hawk altho they look intelligence than lots of other fokes. But at the pitcher shot to side where she and ma went she sed it showed on the screen where a monkey sed to a cat You shall pay for this insult. She sed Will waders never selve. But she doubts if the cat understood.

Tuesday—Ma had a letter from her bro. out West and he had sent his dauter to a finishing school & it had finished both she and her pa a specially the ladder. He ast to borrow a 100 \$s.

Wednesday—Pa went to a luncheon with a friend today and when he came home I ast him what was the difference between a luncheon and a lunch and he replied and sed Just about a \$ and a quarter.

Thursday—Ole man Hix is so stingy that he got well last week from being sick he woodent get out of bed until his medicine was all tuk so he end get his moneys worth.

OLD FARM LOANS BEING PAID; FEW NEW ONES BEING MADE

Washington, Dec. 12.—During the first two weeks in November, the War Finance Corporation made ten new loans aggregating only \$141,000 for agricultural and livestock purposes. During the same period they received in payment of loans previously made for agricultural and livestock purposes \$2,060,000. Since the first of the year the War Finance Corporation has been repaid over \$129,000,000 on loans previously advanced. According to advices from the Northwest the farmers of Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota have repaid a total of \$10,000,000 out of \$46,000,000 loaned by the War Finance Corporation in those three states. Inasmuch as the first loans were made in October, 1921, this clearly shows the agricultural interests are getting in better shape. In addition to the loans which have been completely liquidated, many others have been partially paid.

NOTICE TO PATRONS OF THE HEPPNER POSTOFFICE

Notice is hereby given that from and after this date, mail will not be delivered to children under twelve years of age.

This action is taken to protect you as well as the postoffice. Children are calling morning, noon and night for your mail. If carried to school and lost, who gets the blame? This rule will be strictly enforced, so if you want your children to get the mail, write an order and it will be placed on file.

Dated at Heppner, Dec. 11, 1922.
W. W. SNEAD, Postmaster.

MONEY SPENT IN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

In view of the fact that money put into Christmas Seals is spent largely in a health educational program with special reference to raising the health standard of the children of the state, the Oregon Tuberculosis Association, from the various educational leaders of the state, have strong and special significance.

Money spent in interesting children in the formation of health habits in playing the game of health and in the valuation of health and life itself, is an investment with a high rate of interest. Never has Oregon been challenged to do more along lines of disease prevention and public health than at the present time and with the sympathy and financial support of the citizens of the state, this challenge will be met.

Following are some of the endorsements from leading educators: W. J. Kerr, president of Oregon Agricultural College: "The work of the Oregon Tuberculosis Association is of very great importance. Much good has already been accomplished. It undoubtedly merits, and I trust will receive the financial support required in continuing the work in a most effective and successful way."

P. L. Campbell, president of University of Oregon: "The activities of the Oregon Tuberculosis Association have my heartiest support, and I have full confidence in the organization which is in charge of them. In my judgment no more important piece of work is being done for the health of Oregon than that which lies within the activities of the Association. I know that already a material reduction has been made in the death rate from tuberculosis in Oregon through the work which the Association has been doing for the past few years."

I appeal to every citizen of Oregon to give the heartiest support both by encouragement and by purchase of the Seals which are sold as the principal means of keeping up the Association's budget."

J. S. Landers, president Oregon Normal school: "There is no simpler or easier way that any citizen of Oregon can aid a suffering fellowman than by liberal purchase of Christmas Seals during the coming holiday season. The Oregon Tuberculosis Association in the effective work it is doing, deserves the support of every generous hearted person in the state."

J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction: "It affords me much pleasure to again endorse the Christmas Seal Sale of the Oregon Tuberculosis Association for December, 1922. I trust that our teachers will make a splendid contribution in the way of assisting in the sale of the seals for it is the best way to support health educational work in Oregon."

The sale of Seals has started off with a bang throughout the state. Never before have such large re-orders been received so early in the campaign. Coos County has ordered an additional \$100 worth of Seals; other re-orders include: Salem, \$800; Klamath County, \$500; Yamhill County, \$200; Umatilla, \$200; Washington, \$200; Columbia, \$50. Letters of encouragement and of plans for record sales are reaching the headquarters in Portland from all sections of the state. The Portland mail sale is the largest in the history of the Association.

Conductor Bender of the local branch train, returned home on Sunday evening from Portland. He had been in the city for a few days looking after his residence property.

The Christian Church is planning on a Christmas program to be given in the Odd Fellows Hall at the Christmas-tide. It is quite unique and very interesting.

Sam E. Van Vactor, of The Dalles, was among the visiting attorneys attending court here this week. He came up on Sunday evening, and spent a couple of days in the city.

LaVerne Van Marter returned home Sunday evening from a short trip down the line.

News Notes

"Very temperate and exaggerated" is the characterization made by George R. Wilbur of Hood River, department Commander of the American Legion in Oregon, of the report published from Paris quoting Dr. Edmund L. Gross, delegate to the national convention of the Legion at New Orleans from continental Europe, as saying that the conference was ruled by a mob and that drunkenness was prevalent.

"There was plenty of boisterousness and hilarity but not any more than one observes at any convention of the size of that one in New Orleans," continued Commander Wilbur. "There was no destruction of property. The action of the convention and the resolutions adopted marked it as temperate and progressive. It occurs to me that the delegate from Paris failed to distinguish between the convention delegates and the very large number of irresponsible young men who swarmed in from neighboring towns of Louisiana, Texas and Mississippi to take advantage of the occasion for a good time. Many of these were not ex-service men and many who were did not wear Legion buttons."

Dr. Gross was disappointed because the convention refused to grant a subsidy to Paris post in the way of financial aid. I wonder if he did not go home with a grudge.

Support of the 112 American Legion posts in Oregon was pledged to the annual Roll Call of The American Red Cross, by the state executive committee in recent session at Portland. "The Red Cross has aided and assisted the American Legion in many ways and deserves the support of every post," concluded the resolution passed.

Harry N. Nelson, Department Adjutant of the American Legion in Oregon, left Portland last week to attend a meeting of state adjutants in Indianapolis, Ind., seat of national headquarters of the Legion. An ambitious program for 1923 will be outlined as well as vital problems affecting the legion internally. There is held to be a great need for all veterans of the World War to get into the American Legion and assist the organization in the realization of its momentous problems.

In a report just issued by the Service Department of The American Legion, in Oregon it was disclosed that an unusually heavy amount of work has been done by members of the legion and non-members, the department serving all veterans alike whether affiliated with any veteran organization or not.

The report showed that since February, 1920 when the Service Department was organized that \$1,500,000 of insurance was reinstated for the government; that 2619 compensation cases were adjudicated; 1552 travel pay claims; 600 allotments; 236 clothing applications; effects of deceased comrades; 24 naval retainers pay; 100% foreign service pay; 204; liberty bonds paid for but not received; 865; certificates in lieu of lost discharges; 315; lost baggage reclaimed; 56; changes in service record; 10; adjustment insurance status; 200; 696 miscellaneous items.

The Service Department has been operated free of charge to veterans of the World War in assisting them to get what is due from the government incidental to their service and helping them overcome "red tape" and other obstacles besetting their path in obtaining claims.

ADVERTISING OREGON. The year 1923 will mark the beginning of a new development for Oregon. The state will be advertised nationally on a par with other Western states for the first time in its history.

The state-wide development program, for which a fund of \$300,000 is being raised for a two-year period, will provide \$150,000 per year. The bulk of this amount will be expended in advertising the opportunities Oregon has to offer to the world. This item in itself is a sizeable one. Although it does not equal the amount expended annually by other states, it marks a long step in the right direction. Hereafter the state has expended nothing.

Another fund for the advertising of the Northwest states will be made available during 1923 for a three-year period. This refers to the million-dollar appropriation made by the Burlington, Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads, to be devoted to exploiting the scenic and industrial resources of the Northwest through advertising in magazines of national circulation. Assuming that Oregon will benefit from this expenditure on an equal basis with other Northwest states, an additional \$300,000 will be added to Oregon's advertising budget.

Important development along this line is the growing number of Oregon industries that are advertising nationally. Each of these individual advertising campaigns carry the message of Oregon throughout the nation. The building up of strong co-operative marketing organizations capable of advertising nationally will add to the total.

Oregon is learning the necessity of advertising. Although immediate results can not be expected, the records of other states show that ultimate returns may be practically unlimited.—Oregon Journal of Commerce.

Thoroughbred Bronze Turkey Toms, \$10.00 each. Pullets \$6.00. MRS. CORA BURROUGHS, Lone, Oregon.

COUNTY COURT HAS DECEMBER SESSION

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Cross Nurse to the amount of \$1000 for the coming year.

Court adjourned to meet at a later date in the month.

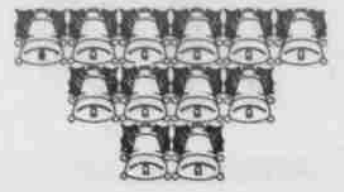
Claims Allowed.

C. C. Calkins, County Agent, \$250.00
G. A. Bleakman, County Ct. 30.00
L. P. Davidson, County Ct. 63.00
Central Market, General Rd. 10.00
C. C. Chick, Health Officer 6.75
Ed Gillespie, Rd. No. 16. 43.71
M. Behm, Bounty. 15.00
State Highway Commission, General Road 88.92
Feenaghty Machinery Co., General Road 423.25
R. Leuzellen, Rd. No. 9. 5.00
H. Culick, Rd. No. 5. 10.50
E. F. Sommers, Rd. No. 5. 18.00
T. H. Williams, Bounty. 3.00
A. Campbell, Bounty. 13.00
J. K. Gill & Co. Library. 15.34
C. B. Orsi, Sealer. 6.46
H. Grim, Poor. 39.12
E. R. Musgrave, Bounty. 3.00
A. A. Ray, Bounty. 4.00
A. D. McMurdoo, Physician. 10.00
S. Shaw, Fair Grounds. 25.00
W. L. McCaleb, Gen. Rd. 166.56
Daisy Becket, Wid. Pen. 25.00
Sadie Morey, Wid. Pen. 25.00
Gladys Gibbons, Wid. Pen. 10.00

Rebecca Knight, Wid. Pen. 40.00
Francis Gordon, Poor. 25.00
J. Fletcher, Poor. 15.00
Vivian Yorum, Sheriff. 80.00
Z. N. Matteson, Bounty. 7.00
I. H. Leathers, Bounty. 9.00
A. Cornett, Justice Court. 40.95
Hushong & Co., Office Ex. 13.78
Glass & Prudhomme, Office Exp. 6.24
Heppner Light & Water Co., Court House. 65.95
W. M. Ayers, Election. 13.20
W. L. Matteson, Election. 3.00
Everett Logan, et al, Election. 482.60
J. V. Cowdry, Court House. 4.00
A. J. Kelly, Bounty. 4.00
O. Keithley, Rd. No. 14. 8.50
L. W. Briggs, Gen. Rd. 12.00
R. Turner, Rd. No. 9. 17.94
E. H. Turner, Rd. No. 9. 62.82
B. R. Hatcher, Rd. No. 9. 44.85
J. A. Hatcher, Rd. No. 9. 47.84
F. F. Ross, Rd. No. 9. 39.00
W. L. McCaleb, Gen. Rd. 8.41
T. Brennan, Gen. Rd. 2.00
S. G. Lininger, Gen. Rd. 2.00
C. H. Latourell, Gen. Rd. 10.65
Vaughn & Goodman, Gen. Rd. 1.20
L. H. Benge, Gen. Rd. 13.19
Cohn Auto Co., Gen. Rd. 1.70
Clyde Equip. Co., Gen. Rd. 2.66
Road Builders Co., Gen. Rd. 4.30
S. E. Notsen, Gen. Rd. 14.24
Ed Breslin, Poor. 11.50
J. F. Gorbham, Sheriff. 34.50
Falters & Son, Cur. Ex. 61.57
Leach Bros, Election. 1.50
J. J. McDonald, Election. 5.00
M. F. Wadsworth, Election. 5.00
T. H. Lowe, Election. 44.40
Geo. McDuffee, Election. 3.40
Thomson Bros., Poor. 23.41
Colliver & Miller, Poor. 30.00
J. J. Wells, Assessor. 29.50
Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co., Cur. ex. 6.75
Lena Shurte, Superintendent. 5.20
M. L. Case, Coroner. 52.25
Walter Pope, Gen. Rd. 61.57
Heppner Herald, Supt. 10.50
W. T. Campbell, Co. Court. 43.54
The Gazette-Times, Various. 153.05
Geo. McDuffee, Rebate. 15.91
A. Henriksen, Rebate. 86.24
E. O. Neill, Rebate. 37.20
Max Rogers, Rebate. 22.00
Gilliam & Bisbee, Court Hse. 17.80
Martin Reid, Gen. Rd. 35.24
F. A. Randall, Rd. No. 9. 41.05
G. A. Bleakman, County Ct. 26.00
L. P. Davidson, County Ct. 61.55
J. P. Conder, Poor. 10.00
Tum-A-Lum Lbr. Co., Ct. Hse. 16.35
Carlson Bros, H-Bond. 300.00
G. W. Dykstra, Rd. No. 17. 18.24
E. L. Ayers, H-Bond. 58.07
C. G. Blayden, Special No. 2. 41.17
Central Market, H-Bond. 10.00
Arlington National Bank. 775.07
Special No. 2. 14.41
Ed Gillespie, Bridge. 46.63
Dick Laphorn, H-Bond. 23.27
Indus. Acci. Com., Special No. 2. 43.08
Feenaghty Co., H-Bond. 513.25
Roy Lieuzellen, Rd. No. 14. 16.00
J. H. Cox, Rd. No. 7. 11.05
G. H. Hayden, Bridge. 32.54
Dick Laphorn, H-Bond. 33.39

A. Warren, Special No. 2. 10.45
E. Stoneman, H-Bond. 5.95
G. E. Miller, Rd. No. 3. 110.05
L. D. Clabough, H-Bond. 12.75
Jas. Beavert, Special No. 1. 2.99
F. Markham, Special No. 1. 20.96
John Beart, Special No. 1. 19.21
C. O. Ayers, H-Bond. 30.00
Phelps Grocery Co., H-Bond. 16.30
Thomson Bros., H-Bond. 3.65
F. Shively, H-Bond. 21.50
G. W. Kirk, H-Bond. 3.50
Geo. Hayden, H-Bond. 14.72
W. H. Ayers, H-Bond. 99.50
Hardman Cash Store, H-Bond. 30.99
I. Bleakman & Co., H-Bond. 70.10
Road Builders Co., H-Bond. 4.30
Watt Powder Co., H-Bond. 299.94
Standard Oil Co., H-Bond. 86.85
Gilliam & Bisbee, H-Bond. 29.09
J. W. Kirschner, H-Bond. 115.00
F. Yergens, Special No. 1. 2.50
Howard Cooper Co., H-Bond. 97.34
C. Pinkshiner, H-Bond. 2.60
W. A. Marchie, Special No. 2. 7.56
Boardman Garage, Special No. 2. 3.70
Ed Breslin, Poor. 58.86
Tum-A-Lum Co., H-Bond. 10.85
State Acci. Com., Lexington. 81.18
H. W. Oliver, Lexington. 118.25
W. F. Barnett & Co., Lexington. 55.35
Karl Beach, Lexington. 19.00
Independent Garage, Lexington. 6.00
R. H. Lane, Lexington. 9.15
County Agent, Rodent (Strychnine). 470.00
H. R. Ahalt, Rodent. 60.51
Geo. McDuffee, Prohibition. 29.60
H. W. Oliver, H-Bond. 335.40
Bank of Lone, Roads. 740.50
F. & S. National Bank, Roads. 623.70
First National Bank, Roads. 4,399.14

Holiday Gifts



Coleman's Lamps and Lanterns
Percolators, Aluminum Ware
Safety Razors and
Pocket Knives

Peoples Hardware Co.

Heppner Oregon

Thinking of Xmas Gifts?

What Could Be More Appropriate Than SILK HOSIERY

We have it for you in the best
line in

Everwear Hosiery

Silk Hose, All Colors, \$1.25, Up

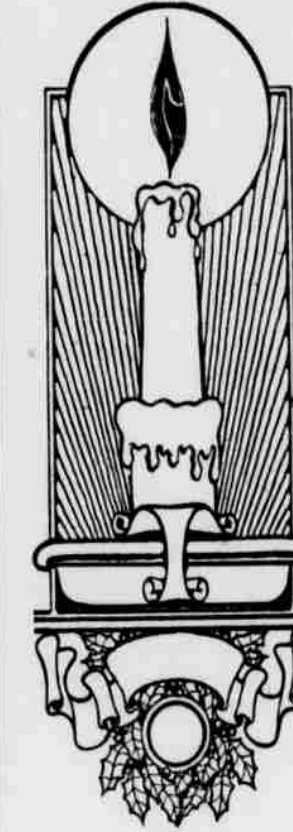
THE CHRISTMAS BOX

2 Pairs, Black or Brown, \$2.50

Ladies Wool Hose, \$1.00 Up

These Prices Should Attract You

Gonty's Cash Shoe Store



"TRY THE DRUG STORE FIRST"

To Gladden "Her" Christmas

Pyralin Gift Ivory

Gifts that combine usefulness and beauty. You may select from a large stock of individual dressing table pieces, or if you prefer sets of the famous "Pyralin Ivory" we have them. Our assortment includes articles in the original pattern, also the Dubarry in the white, enamel and shell. Single pieces 25 Cents and up.

MANICURE SETS in rolls—the toilet articles are ivory, pearl and horn in a genuine leathere case.

20 Per Cent Discount
For Cash

Humphreys Drug Co.

Star Theater

Program from December 15th to 21st Inclusive

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15th

FANK MAYO in

"DR. JIM"

The rushing drama of a society man who went to sea, and who swapped his kid gloves for bare knuckles. He was a great surgeon with a great heart. But he loved his work and he loved the kiddies he restored to health and wholeness to such a degree that his wife fancied he willfully neglected her for them. Then came the breakdown from overwork and the long voyage in the South Seas, on a vessel manned by rough-necks and captained by a handsome brute. One story in which a husband's negligence of his wife cost him nothing but the effort of proving her wrong and himself right.

Also 12th episode of BUFFALO BILL

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16th

A drama of home and family, of a man who lost himself and found himself by the strength of

"THE POWER WITHIN"

Also two-reel Comedy and Movie Chats

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17th

BETTY BALFOUR in

"ME AND MY GAL"

A rollicking comedy drama that will satisfy your craving for something different, and give you a new viewpoint on the English sense of humor. And a new star you will simply adore.

Also two-reel comedy "Beware of Blondes."

MONDAY and TUESDAY, DEC. 18th and 19th

MARY ALDEN (the mother "The Old Nest")
CULLEN LANDIS and SYLVIE BREMER

—IN—

"THE MAN WITH TWO MOTHERS"

A picture with a punch and a heart grip, with five reels of action and a hundred laughs, a love story that appeals, and surprises galore.

Also Comedy, "Take It Easy"

WED. and THURS., DECEMBER 20 and 21

HARRY MOREY in

"THE GAUNTLET"

A tale of the moonshine district where all strangers are regarded as revenue agents and feuds still exist.

Also LARRY SEMON in

"SOLID CONCRETE"

one of those two-reel side splitters.

Come in and see our fine assortment of these

Palmer Coats

THOMSON BROTHERS